

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

Department of Agricultural Commissioner/ Weights and Measures

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12300 Lower Azusa Road Arcadia, California 91006-5872

March 27, 2007

The Honorable Board of Supervisors County of Los Angeles 383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration 500 W. Temple Street Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Supervisors:

2007 WEED ABATEMENT REFEREE'S HEARING REPORT

As authorized by the California Health and Safety Code, and approved by your Board, public hearings were conducted by the Deputy Director, Weed Hazard and Pest Management Bureau, Agricultural Commissioner/Weights and Measures, acting as Referee, to receive protests against the Department of Agricultural Commissioner/Weights and Measures' Year 2007 order to abate noxious or dangerous weeds, brush, rubbish, etc. As stated in the legal notice sent to each owner of record, the hearings were held from 9:30 a.m. until noon, in the offices of the Department of Agricultural Commissioner/Weights and Measures, at 12300 Lower Azusa Road, Arcadia, California on February 27, 2007, and at 335 A East Avenue K-6, Lancaster, California on February 28, 2007.

Sixteen property owners attended the public hearings. Each property owner received individual consultation from Weed Abatement Division personnel. Appropriate action was taken whenever necessary in addressing each of the inquiries. We are not aware of any individual that wishes to present objections to your Board at this time.

AFTER THE PUBLIC HEARING, IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOUR BOARD:

1. Accept this hearing report.

2. Order the Department of Agricultural Commissioner/Weights and Measures to abate or cause to be abated the noxious and dangerous weeds, brush, rubbish from unimproved properties.

Respectfully submitted,

KURT E. FLOREN

Agricultural Commissioner

Director of Weights and Measures

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County Counsel

Fire Chief